

MEMORANDUM

TO: Infectious Waste Transporter Registrants

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SUBJECT: South Carolina Infectious Waste Transporter Registration

The South Carolina Infectious Waste Management Regulations, R.61-105 became effective on September 26, 1991. These regulations require that all transporters of infectious waste generated, stored, transferred, transported, treated or disposed of within South Carolina, register with the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC). Transporters must register according to the provisions of Sections N and O of the regulations. Compliance with these regulations is necessary to avoid enforcement actions imposed by this Department.

Enclosed are a copy of the South Carolina Infectious Waste Management Regulations, R.61-105; a transporter registration form; and a copy of the SC DHEC Certificate of Insurance form. To avoid a delay in your registration, please have your insurance company complete the Certificate of Insurance form. Transporters shipping to a South Carolina treatment facility are required to submit a five hundred dollar (\$500.00) processing fee to receive authorization to ship infectious waste to South Carolina. Please make checks payable to the Bureau of Finance, SCDHEC.

In addition to completing the registration form, the following is required:

1. The original copy of the SCDHEC Certificate of Insurance. Transporter financial responsibility is explained in Section O (1)(c) of the regulations.

2. A copy of your written infectious waste management plan. The plan should include a spill plan: all contingency plans for alternate treatment, storage, or disposal sites; waste storage and handling; radiological monitoring; and personnel health and safety training as described in Section N. of the Regulations.

A checklist for the Infectious Waste Management Plan is enclosed. Please note however, that this is provided only as a guide and does not guarantee that all Department requirements have been met.

Please mail you completed registration to:

Infectious Waste Program
SCDHEC
2600 Bull Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Incomplete registration applications cannot be processed. If you have questions concerting the registration process, please contact me at (803) 896-4193.

Additional forms can be downloaded from our website @
www.scdhec.net/lwm/html/infect.html

Enclosures